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In re Application of Timothy J. Clemens et al.

Serial No.: 10/083,092 Filed: February 26, 2002

**DECISION ON PETITION UNDER** 37 CFR 1.48(b)

For: PROTECTIVE ARTICLES

This is a decision on the PETITION TO DELETE CORRECTLY NAMED PERSONS WHO ARE NOT INVENTORS OF INVENTION NOW BEING CLAIMED (37 C.F.R. ≥ 1.48(b), filed February 6, 2006 to correct inventorship under 37 CFR 1.48(b) by deleting the names of Timothy M. Dietz and Mark D. Weigel from the present inventorship.

It is noted that the applicant has met the requirements of (1) a petition including a statement identifying each named inventor who is being deleted and acknowledging that the inventor's invention is no longer being claimed in the application; and (2) the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i).

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application file is being forwarded to the appropriate section of the Patent and Trademark Office for correction of the record.

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